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EXHIBIT 1

Identity between human and globefish EPO

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>gb|AAQ72467.1| erythropoietin [Takifugu rubripes]
          Length = 185
 Score = 95.5 bits (236), Expect = 5e-19
<u>Identities = 66/181 (36%)</u>, Positives = 100/181 (55%), Gaps = 12/181 (6%)
Query: 12 LLLSLLSLPLGLPYLGAPPRLICDSRVLERYLLEAKEAENITTGCAEHCSLNENITVPDT 71
           L L+ L P L +P R ICD RVL ++ EA++AE
                                                      CHE CHL++++ VP T
Sbjct: 10 LAFLLIVLEWTQPSLPSPLRPICDLRVLNHFIKEAQDAEAAMKLCSEGCTLSDSVIVPQT 69
Query: 72 KVNFYAWKRMEVGQQAVEVWQGLALLSEAVLRGQALLVNSSQPWEPLQLHVDKAVSGLRS 131
            V F ₩<del>| |</del>
                        +A EV GL LL EA + + N++
                                                       L H+D +V L S
Sbjct: 70 TVEFDVWEKKSALAKAQEVQSGLWLLQEAFNFLRTSVTNTA-----LHSHIDNSVRNLLS 124
Query: 132 LTTLLRALRAQKEAISPPDAASAAPLR-TITADTFRKLFRYYSNFLRGKLK--LYTGEAC 188
          + +LR+L Q+ +PP ASAA + T T +L +V+ NFLRGK++ L +AC
Sbjct: 125 VNAVLRSLNIQE--FTPP--ASAAEIEGTWRVSTATELLQVHINFLRGKVRLILLDAQAC 180
Query: 189 R 189
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identity between human and chicken EPO

Sbjct: 181 Q 181

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>ref[NP_001001784.1] thrombopoietin [Gallus gallus]
 gb[AAT45554.1] thrombopoietin [Gallus gallus]
          Length = 177
 Score = 90.5 bits (223), Expect = 5e-17
<u>Identities = 54/166 (32%)</u>, Positives = 89/166 (53%), Gaps = 4/166 (2%)
Query: 1 MELTELLLVVMLLLTARLTLSSPAPPACDLRVLSKLLRDSHVLHSRLSQCPEVHPLPTPV 60
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Query: 61 LLPAVDFSLGEWKTQMEETKAQDILGAVTLLLEGVMAARGQLGPTCLSSLLGQLSGQVRL 120
          +LP VDF++ +WK + +E K ++IL + LL+ V A+GQ+ C + L QL
Sbjct: 61 VLPLVDFNMRQWKNKSDEIKRREILCNLVLLVGAVTEAQGQVSQECGAGQLSQLYRHASS 120
Query: 121 LLGALQSLLGTQLPPQ----GRTTAHKDPNAIFLSFQHLLRGKVRF 162
           L LQ+
                   + P +
                              R+
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Sbjct: 121 FLLLLQTFGWEEGPWEPGCSPRSIEQTHVTEIFLTYRQLVQGKLRF 166
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